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AMENDMENT SUBMITTED WITH RCE

MAIL STOP RCE Commissioner of Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir,

Responsive to the Office Action dated June 19, 2007, please enter the following Amendment and reconsider the claimed invention. Any deficiencies may be credited to Deposit Account No. 13-2546.